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THE FETZER FAMILY

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Dedicated to the Brave Hearts Who Sailed on Wings of the Wind to a Homeland in Canaan

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Foreword

The past not only gives meaning to the present, but also predicts the future. What the future of any family will be, depends not only upon its present representatives, but also upon its past heritage. Any family has a right to be proud of its past achievements and to look forward to future glories. Life is happy or tragic, as we live it. Within the pages of this book, we have endeavored to record the lives of the sturdy men and women, who gave us our heritage.

Our space and time has been limited. Consequently, we may have made mistakes. If so, we would be glad to be informed of them. We wish to thank all those who have helped to make this history and genealogy possible. May we express our heartfelt gratitude to the following: Henry Fetzer for his record of early history; Clarence Fetzer, family historian during many of the years since 1900, for his genealogy; all other historians, for their records; Calvin Fetzer, James R. Fetzer and Orlando Fetzer for their financial backing; the living members of the fifth generation for their recollections.

We have enjoyed editing this book, and hope that it may stimulate interest in your family ties and determination that the record of your life may we worthy of memory in the years to come.

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HISTORY

It was the year 1700, and the beginning of a new era in European history. Louis XIV was on the throne of France, and many were the tales that were carried by word of mouth, throughout the entire continent, concerning his conquests and benevolent enterprizes. Only recently had he conquered the provinces of Alsace and Loraine, and already highways were being layed out and public buildings constructed. It was the beginning of a prosperous period for these two small states, and consequently there was a steady migration of craftsmen from central Europe into Alsatian towns and villages.

Germany in 1700 was made up of a loosely woven economic union of independent states. One of these small kingdoms was known as Suabia. It was originally a part of the Holy Roman Empire, and later it became the southern part of the states of Bavaria and Wurtemburg. The land was fertile and drained by two great rivers, the beautiful Danube to the west and north, and the Leche River to the east. The southern boundary was made up of the Bavarian Alps and the northern shore line of Lake Constance. This small locality in the heart of Europe was, according to legend, the fatherland of the earliest ancestor of the Fetzer Family. His surname was Paul. He was small in stature, unmarried, a fine linen weaver by trade, of some wealth, and therefore, of a respectable class of society. His family name, Fetzer, probably originated from a long line of "weavers of cloth" in his lineage, as the German word "fetzen" means a piece of left over goods, consequently, "Fetzer" one who makes or handles a "fetzen".

This progenitor of the family of Fetzer joined with other German migrants, wending their way north and west from Suabia

to Alsace. Paul located in Weissenburg, which was situated in the Rhine valley, near the northern boundary of the Department of Strassburg. This little city, with only a few thousand population, dated back to the beginning of the 15th century. It was in a strategic position, being located both on the overland route from Mainz to Strassburg, and also on the Lauter River, a tributary of the Rhine. Marketable products could be sent overland by wagon, or on barges down the Rhine to Strassburg, which was the trading junction between the cities of France and Germany. The scenery in the environment of Weissenburg was beautiful, with the rolling foothills of the Vosges Mountains to the west and south, and with heavily wooded slopes to the north. The town itself lay in a shallow fertile valley extending as far east as the Rhine River. Here, in this thriving and historic place, Paul Fetzer invested his capital in a linen fabric establishment, housed in a large stone structure, which was built of that particular material, because of a decree concerning public building. Here, his time was devoted to the successful prosecution of his trade. Late in life he married and had one son Martin, and one daughter Elizabeth. He died at the age of 70 years, and is buried in Weissenburg.

During the 50 years, following Paul's death, his descendants grew in number and prosperity. His daughter Elizabeth married Barnhard Michial, a man of some military note, and had three daughters. Martin, his son, was not a weaver as might be expected, but was a successful farmer in the village of Steinselz, which lay over the hill, one-half hour walk, due south of Weissenburg. This small farming community nestled at the foot of a low range of hills, which separated the town, on the north, from the city of Weissenburg. The hillside facing Steinselz was covered with vineyards, which the farmers of the village harvested to make wine, one of their chief sources of income. The town consisted of 113 houses, surrounded by poplars and cedars, and boasted a population of 500. There was only one main street which ran parallel to the hill range. In the center of the town were a restaurant and a schoolhouse. A German Reformed Church stood

upon a little knoll nearby, its spire rising sharp and clear above the tree tops. To the west, the Vosges Mountain Range loomed on the distant horizon. To the east was a four or five hour walk to the Rhine, and to the south were the softly rolling foothills which led to Brimelbach and Berlenbach. In this beautiful little town Martin built a house of white-washed stone, which is to this day known as the Fetzer house. He raised a few oxen and marketed his produce over the hill in Weissenburg. He married Margaret Phoeter and lived his entire married life in Steinselz. Both he and Margaret are buried in the German Reformed Cemetery to the rear of the church.

To the union of Martin and Margaret were born ten children, of whom only three survived to maturity, Barnhard, Margaret and Frederick. Two of the boys ended their days in the active service of Napoleon Bonaparte, during the famous Russian Expedition. Of the three who lived, Margaret married George Rott, a man of respectability, and had four daughters. Frederick married Magdalena Younker and had two boys and two girls. Barnhard, the oldest of the three surviving children, and the lineal ancestor of this genealogy, married Marie Magdalena Heinrich, born in Berlenbach, which was located in the foothills, one hour walk south of Steinselz. She was a lady of intelligence and high social standing. Being the only child of aristocratic parents, her marriage to the son of a common farmer was seriously opposed. Marie Magdalena however, being very much in love, and possessing a courageous personality, gave her heart and hand into the keeping of the handsome and ambitious Barnhard Fetzer. Consequently, there runs through the veins of the descendants of this brave and youthful couple, the virile wholesome blood of peasant stock, and the sensitive imaginative strain of the aristocrat. To the union of Barnhard and Marie Magdalena were born twelve children: Jacob, Barnhard, Martin, Valentine Sr., Michael, George, Mary, Frederick, Elizabeth, Valentine Jr., Margaret and Peter. Of these, Peter alone was born in America. Two of the boys, Valentine Sr. and Michael, died in childhood and are buried in Steinselz.

During this half century, following Paul's death, the Fetzer Family in Steinselz saw the dynasty of Napoleon rise and fall. They rejoiced with their neighbors in the death of the feudal system. Later, they suffered with them under a new wave of tyranny, following the defeat of Napoleon at Waterloo. In the year 1830, the whole of Europe was straining and groaning under the iron hand of the evil dictator, "Metternich of Austria". His bitter hatred of the peasant and middle classes influenced and supported every petty ruler upon the continent. Louis Philippe was Emperor of France, and unwisely adopted many of the tyrannical decrees of the crafty Metternich. From six to eight years of time, out of the life of every young man were required for unremunerated service in the militia. The tribute layed upon labor was heavy and the taxes were unbearable. Many lost their homes and land.

Barnhard Fetzer in company with his friends and neighbors felt the crushing weight of existing conditions. He lived in his father's house in Steinselz, and farmed the Fetzer land nearby. During the reign of Napoleon he had been a success financially, but now, it was hard to make both ends meet. Food became scarce, as it took most of the harvest to meet the taxes. At mealtime, the chief diet was dry bread, potatoes with salt and a little sour milk. The family would gather about the long table, Barnhard and Marie occupying the only chairs. The children remained standing, bowing their heads reverently for "Grace", which was spoken at every meal. Both parents were devout Protesants, Barnhard belonging to the German Reformed and Marie to the German Lutheran Church. The whole family worked in the harvest fields. Marie and the girls picked grapes in the vineyards from dawn until dark, with only dry bread and grapes for their lunch. Barnhard became bitter and discouraged because of the ever increasing hardship.

Oppression spread a burning dissatisfaction and growing restlessness among the entire population. Ten years later, this smothered defiance was to break out in terror and bloodshed throughout the whole of Europe. Dynasties were to crash in the

first throes of democracy, known in history as the world revolutions. However, not knowing what the future might hold for them in Europe, knowing only that the tyranny of Louis Philippe was unbearable, many strong and brave hearts determined to seek the blessings and freedom and justice in the far off land of America. Consequently, they escaped the horror which accompanied the downfall of autocracy in 1840.

Barnhard and his brother Frederick were among this number, who listened to the glowing accounts of the opportunities and riches of the new world, and who determined to obtain them for their children, and their children's children, no matter how great the sacrifice. The migration of these two families took place on four different ships from 1831 to 1840. The first company consisted of nine persons: Barnhard and wife Marie Magdalena, and seven of their children: Martin, George, Mary, Frederick, Elizabeth, Valentine and Margaret. They came to America in the spring of 1831. Barnhard, the second son of Barnhard and Marie, came in 1835. Jacob, the eldest son of Barnhard and Marie, came in 1837, leaving his wife Julia and son in Steinselz. In 1840, the elder Frederick and wife came to America also, bringing presumably all who bore the name of Fetzer. Included in the last company were their four children, Julia the wife of Jacob and Barnhard, their baby son. For these immigrants to sell their home in Steinselz, and the land which they had tilled for 50 years, and to turn forever their faces from the scenes of their childhood, was naturally painful. But hope, the dearest faculty of the human heart, urged them to endure this transitory pain, in order that the future might smile more beneficiently on their labors in their new, but as yet, unknown home.

In March, 1831, everything was in readiness for the departure of Barnhard and his company from Steinselz for the port of Le Havre, which was 350 miles distant, nearly due west, on the coast of the English Channel. This journey was accomplished in 14 days, by wagons running along an established route through

Paris and Rouen to Le Havre. At the channel port, ten days were spent in awaiting a proper ship. At length the South Carolina, on which passage was secured, put in port. She was a sailing vessel bearing the U. S. flag, and laden with cotton and rice.

The voyage across the Atlantic was one of hardship and adventure. The captain was a veteran sailor, having made numerous trips over the Ocean. But the ship was propelled only by sails and consequently was tossed to and fro, backwards and forwards by every wind that blew. The children of Barnhard were often terror-stricken, but the calm faith of their mother upheld them all. Somewhere in mid-ocean, one dark and foggy night, an alarm rang out that land was visible on both sides. All lights were ordered burning and all hands rushed on deck. The ship was out of control and seemed to be groaning over sandbars and rocks. The obstructions may have been floating ice, as the captain professed complete ignorance of any land at that location. The dangerous waters were cleared however, without serious injury and once more on their course the journey continued without mishap. The ship docked at the New York harbor, having made what was considered, at that time, a speedy and fortunate passage of 3150 miles in 35 days, a passage which today is more safely accomplished by steamship in 5 days.

In June therefore of 1831, when Andrew Jackson was President of the U. S., the first representatives of the Fetzer Family landed on American soil. But, as soon as Barnhard could secure passage for himself and family, they once more boarded a ship and traveled up the Hudson River to Albany, a distance of 142 miles. From Albany to Buffalo, a distance of 300 miles, they were transported over the newly constructed Erie Canal. Traveling only by daylight, they reached Buffalo in two weeks time. There, Barnhard said goodbye to his family, and in company with several other immigrants, advanced to Ohio to look over the land. He had heard that it was a woefully poor country, but that farm land was cheap.

Marie Magdalene was left in a strange city in charge of seven children, one of them only a baby. But with courage and fortitude she proceeded to wait for word from her husband. The waiting was full of adventure. There were new sights and sounds. There was carefree laughter and rushing business on every hand. It was a young land and a brave land, filled with happy industry and high hopes. Her heart swelled with joy as she brooded over her children and their unseen future. On the 4th of July, the city teemed with excitement. For the first time, Marie and the children saw hundreds of Indians gathered together, making the streets of Buffalo gay with their bright feathers and blankets. They had come to collect their pensions from the U. S. authorities who were located there.

Finally, the great day came when Marie received word from Barnhard to proceed to Cleveland, the Forest City, where he would meet his family and conduct them to their new home. With joy they boarded ship for the last time to cross Lake Erie, a distance of 185 miles. This passage was made with great embarrassment, as the ship was poorly equipped and necessary conveniences were sadly lacking. Early one evening, while the lake boat was struggling with the choppy waves of Lake Erie, a sudden storm arose. The wind and rain was worse than anything they had encountered on the Atlantic Ocean. All night the storm howled and raged. Even the crew thought the ship would never reach land again. But Marie Magdalena's faith in her God never wavered. She clasped the baby Margaret in her arms and held her all night long. Seated on a low stool, with her other children sleeping at her feet, she prayed aloud without ceasing until the first gray light of dawn showed on the horizon. The waves died down as though an unseen hand had bade them be still, and with thankful hearts the passengers set foot once more upon the good earth.

And now the last lap of this strange and exciting pilgrimage began. Barnhard met his family at the dock in Cleveland, and in company with three other immigrant families, they traveled over-

land for 40 miles to Old Hickory, later known as Jackson. The journey was made on foot, Mary Magdalena carrying the baby, and Barnhard pushing their belongings in a small cart. In due time, the company arrived at Jackson, which at that time had four stores and three hotels. It was the metropolis of Wayne County. Until the men of the party could find suitable homesteads, the entire company of four families moved into a small log school house, one and one-half miles south of Old Hickory and about 20 rods east of the old pike. The parents slept in the school house, but the children were hired out to neighboring farmers, who needed help badly, as it was harvest time. All hands for miles around were in demand to cut and bind the ripened grain.

Before winter set in, Barnhard had found a satisfactory location for his homestead. A natural spring, an old sawmill and a small log cabin, all enhanced its desirability. The farm of 80 acres was purchased from David Boylson, an old Virginian, for $600 in silver. It is located one mile south of Jackson, then three-fourths mile east and one-half mile south again. It is the west half of the northeast quarter of section 24 of Canaan Twp., Wayne Co.

Barnhard and his family moved to this place in the fall of 1831. Sixty of the 80 acres were covered with timber, which had to be cleared before the land could be farmed. "Never mind", the neighbors told Barnhard, "you have big strong boys. The work will keep them out of trouble". And so by hard toil and ceaseless industry, the resources of the farm were soon developed and the family began to reap the blessings of their new homeland.

The family of nine lived in the tiny log cabin. The older boys slept in the loft, where the snow sifted through the cracks in the roof all winter long. But, they were all healthy and pioneer life only strengthened their characters and developed their bodies. The land was cleared and tilled, the sawmill hummed, a large sugar camp was worked, and in the summer of 1832 Barnhard built a substantial two story log house, which was occupied by the family for many years. That log structure is the framework of the house which stands on the farm to this day.

Barnhard worked his farm for 18 years and died there on May 1st, 1849, at the age of 70 years. He was laid to rest in the solitary Kope Church yard, which is located one mile west and two and one-quarter miles south of Canaan. Marie Magdalena lived for 16 years after the death of Barnhard, and spent her declining years living on the old homestead, which was farmed by Peter, the youngest boy. She was a beautiful and christian character, loved by everyone. She died quietly on Sunday morning, the 26th of March, 1865, while Peter was attending church. The children buried her by Barnhard's side in the Kope Cemetery. It was fitting that these two devout people should lie in eternal sleep in the shadow of the old Kope Church, as it was in reality a Fetzer church as long as they lived. When Barnhard, his wife, his children and grandchildren went to church on Sunday, they made up an entire congregation, and although the family was divided by creed for years, they worshipped God under the same roof at the Kope Church.

The ten children of Marie and Barnhard were unusual due to the fact that they all lived a long and useful life, and were all intelligent and outstanding members of the community in which they lived. It was notable that eight of the ten settled on farms in Canaan Township and lived there until death took them to a fairer land. They and their children's children are the type of middle class people, which have been the life blood of our nation.

There were common family characteristics running through the veins of those first ten brothers and sisters, which occasionally are evident in the actions of their descendants. With the exception of Fred and Valentine, the boys were of stern bearing and a more or less "crusty" disposition. They were quick tempered and hot blooded pioneers, proud of their appearance and their place in community life. They were religious in mind and strict in discipline. The boys were just as staunch believers in the Reformed Church, as the girls were true followers of Martin Luther. They were divided by creed because of a pact which their father and mother made before the children were born, to baptize all girls

in their mother's faith and all boys in their father's religion. They each in turn were duly baptized and provided with suitable Godmothers. Several of their baptismal records are in existence today. The same devout sentiment is on each one.

"You have been born dear children,
Through Jesus' death, who has saved you
From Hell, with his blood;
In memory and continuous remembrance
Have I given you this.
After your baptism, grow up to honor God,
And be the joy of your parents,
And of help to your neighbor;
Look to your salvation, so that
When you have finished suffering
On this earth,
You may be crowned by God
In Heaven."

—From your Godmother.

There is an artistic strain, which runs through the lineage of the Fetzer Family. All ten of the founders of the family were musically inclined. George and Peter, both, led church and community singing. It was a family characteristic that they both realized they were good, and were consequently intolerant of lesser ability in others. Once, during the solemn rites of a funeral at Canaan, George, who was conducting a musical number, suddenly stopped the accompanist and motioned for Peter to come forward to the organ. For goodness sake, said George to the embarrassed organist, let Peter show you how to play that measure. This artistic sense, which Barnhard's family possessed, is evident today in the accomplishments of some of their descendants; in the architecture of Charles A. Fetzer, of the lineage of Jacob; in the beautiful lines of the violins, modeled by Orlando Fetzer, a descendant of Barnhard; and in the poetry and prose of Herman Fetzer, known as Jake Falstaff, of the family of Peter; and in the musical ability displayed by many of the present generation.

The family of Barnhard and Marie, though religious and exacting, were often jovial and loved a good joke, especially Peter, who enjoyed his own immensely. They were with few exceptions, generous with their wordly goods, although cautious in their business dealings. With clear eyes and trim, neat beards, the boys faced the world with independence and confidence. The girls like their mother were faithful to their God and beloved by their children.

JACOB

Jacob, the first child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz, Alsace in 1807, when Thomas Jefferson was President of the United States. Jacob was 24 years old when the rest of the family came to America in 1831. He had learned the tailor trade and by choice had decided to remain in Steinselz. In 1832, he married Julia Zimmerman, born in Rott, a town one-half hour walk west of Steinselz. This tiny village lay at the feet of the beautiful Vosges Mountains. On Sunday afternoons the boys and girls of Steinselz and Rott mingled together, doing their courting and love-making along winding mountain paths. Jacob had the honor of being the only one of the fourth generation of Fetzers to be married in Europe. He worked at his trade and farmed until 1837, when he decided to come to America also. He came on the American ship "Albania", and followed the same route to Jackson taken by his father and mother six years before. In 1840, Julia and their 7 year old boy followed him to America. They then bought a farm of 160 acres located three miles due south of Canaan.

The buildings, which included a log house and out buildings, stood in the southeast corner of the farm at the crossroads. The land lay in a rolling plain in all directions. The house faced a low meadow, which was drained by a creek that crossed both roads running past the farm. A clear spring below the house, furnished their water supply. In due time, Jacob built a new house and barn, and planted a fine orchard near the house.

Here, Jacob and Julia raised their family and lived their entire married life in America. Jacob continued to work at his tailoring trade as well as farm his land. He was a very big man, tall and heavy, weighing never less than 200 pounds. His eyes were sharp and black, his countenance smooth shaven and his bearing impressive. His little nieces and nephews were as awe stricken when Uncle Jake came to visit as though he had been the President. He caused them a great deal of amusement, however, on Sunday morning during long and tedious church services. Uncle Jake used snuff and at regular intervals, with great dignity, he took a pinch and then in the folds of a large blue handkerchief, he would bury his nose and blow with such force that the rafters reverberated with the shock.

Being the oldest of the ten children, his words carried a great deal of weight. He was always willing to voice his opinions and spoke with conviction upon all occasions. At the first reunion, in 1881, he rose to his feet and loudly proclaimed, "Everybody keep quiet. I'm going to say something." In German, he spoke of family ties and the value of a good heritage. His favorite expression was, Dunner and Blitz. Jacob died in 1885 at the age of 78 years, and is buried in the Kope Cemetery. To the union of Jacob and Julia were born five children: Barnhard, Abraham, Rebecca, Earhart, Jacob and Daniel.

Barnhard had the honor of being the only one of the fifth generation of Fetzers to be born in Europe. He was born in Steinselz in 1833. He came to America with his mother and uncle in 1840 at the age of 7. He married Rebecca Gerberich and lived on a farm two miles south and one-half mile east of Spencer. He died in 1910 and is buried in the East Homer Reformed Cemetery, located two miles east and one and one-half miles north of Homer. Abraham was born in 1841. He fought under General Grant in the Civil War, and died in service in 1864. Rebecca was born in 1843. She married Frederick Weimer and lived on a farm three miles south and two miles east of Spencer. She died in 1882 and is buried in the East Homer Reformed Cemetery. Earhart

was born in 1845. He married Mary Lang and lived on a farm one mile west of Jackson. He died in 1918 and is buried at Jackson. Jacob was born in 1848. He married Amanda Cochenour and lived on a farm one mile west and one and one-half miles north of Canaan. He died in 1933 and is buried at Jackson. Daniel was born in 1850. He married Melvina Lang and lived on a farm one-half mile west and one-half mile north of Jackson. He died in 1935 and is buried at Jackson. Jacob and Julia had a total of six children and 26 grandchildren.

BARNHARD

Barnhard, the second child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1808. He was forced to join the militia under Louis Philippe and was left behind as a soldier, when the rest of his family came to America. However in 1835, he escaped the army and came to this country on the U. S. mail ship "Silver De Gras". Barnhard was married three times. In 1837, he married Catherine Younker. They bought an 80 acre farm, located one and one-quarter miles east of Herman. He built a fine house in the French Colonial style of the period, on a slight rise of ground, and a large barn at the bottom of the hill. His buildings faced those of his brother Martin's, which stood on a neighboring ridge. Between the two homes was solid timber, which had to be cleared before the two brothers could farm the land in the bottoms. Near the house was a large spring, and beyond the springhouse, Barnhard planted three acres of fruit trees, mostly apple. He earned many a penny selling cider and dried apple snits. In the center of the lawn stood the dryer, built of plaster lathe, around which harvest hands and relatives would gather to drink apple wine and swap jokes. Barnhard was a very handsome man. He was the jovial host, generous with guests and his many nephews and nieces. However, due partly to his army training and partly to his heritage, he was stern and exacting in his work.

His first wife, Catherine, died in 1850. In 1851, Barnhard married Fanny Hoff. Fanny died in 1865. Later, Barnhard married a widow by the name of Mrs. Bucher. All but his first year

in America was spent by Barnhard on his farm east of Herman, and he died there in 1890 at the age of 82 years. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. To the union of Barnhard and Catherine were born seven children: George, Margaret, Samuel, Barnhard, David, Joseph and Suzanna. To the union of Barnhard and Fanny were born five children: Katherine, Magdalena, Mary, Andrew and Amos.

George was born in 1838. He married Susan Hoff, and lived on a farm one mile south of Herman. He died in 1920, and is buried in Wooster. Margaret was born in 1839. She married Daniel Hoff, and lived on a farm three and three-fourths miles east of Herman. She died in 1923, and is buried in the Hoff Cemetery, located three and one-half miles east of Herman. Samuel was born in 1841. He married Rachel Feightner, and lived on a farm three and one-half miles east of Herman. He died in 1898, and is buried in the Hoff Cemetery. Barnhard was born in 1843, and died the same year. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. David was born in 1844, and died in 1845. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Joseph was born in 1846. He married Emma Romich, and for many years ran a grocery store in Canaan. Later he had a store in Creston, and still later he ran a bakery there. After retiring, he moved to Elkhart, Ind. He died in 1929, and is buried in Elkhart. Suzanna was born in 1848. She married Martin Fetzer, a first cousin of her father. They lived on Martin's father's farm, located one-fourth mile west of Herman. Later, they lived at various places in Michigan and Ohio. She died in 1930, and is buried in Creston. Katherine was born in 1851. She married Curtiss Devinney, a sewing machine salesman, and lived in Wooster. She died in 1931, and is buried in Wooster. Magdalena was born in 1854, and died in 1856. She is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Mary was born in 1856. She married Solomon Ritz, and lived in Arkansas and later near Tulsa, Okla. She died in 1925, and is buried in Tulsa. Andrew was born in 1859. He married Isabel Seaton, and lived for many years on his father's farm one and one-fourth miles east of Herman. Later, he lived on

farms north and west of Smithville. In his later life, he lived in Orrville. He died in 1938, and is buried in Orrville. Amos was born in 1861, and died in 1867. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Barnhard had a total of 12 children and 49 grandchildren.

MARTIN

Martin, the third child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1811. He came with the rest of the family to Ohio in 1831, when he was 20 years old. Martin was married twice. In 1834, he married Margaret Younker. They bought a farm of 80 acres, located one and one-half miles east and one-fourth mile north of Herman. The land joined that of his brother, Barnhard, to the south. On a low ridge, he built a two story house with a wing to the rear and a porch across the entire front. From the front porch, looking out over the tree tops of ten acres of timberland, the chimney of Barnhard's house, with it's rising smoke was just visible. Margaret died in 1854. Later Martin married Sally Younker Hoff, a sister of Margaret. All but three years of his life in America was spent on his farm east of Herman, and he died there in 1896 at the age of 85. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery.

During his entire life, he was extremely active. Up to the age of 80 years, he worked in the fields, cultivated his corn and kept the fence rows clean. He was a small man with sharp black eyes and a good looking profile. His disposition was retiring and crabbid. He was never very sociable, and when angry acted and spoke impulsively. Once at a belling at his home, he smacked an unruly visitor over the head with his cane. Martin never forgot his home in Steinselz, and whenever he was disgruntled with the hardship of pioneer life, he spoke of his native home with emotion. Part of his farm was low and often too wet to cultivate. One spring while attempting to plant corn, he broke out in rage, "Durned old thing, devil take the worms, come all the way from the old country to live in a mud hole." He was always a hard and fast worker, and expected his sons and farm hands to be likewise, which sometimes caused trouble. In their later years, he

and his brother, Barnhard, spent many long hours together in adjoining cornfields, fighting weeds and worms, and leaning over the fence to reminisce about their childhood in Alsace. To the union of Martin and Margaret were born six children: John, Henry, Daniel, Mary, William and Sarah.

John was born in 1835. He never married and lived at home until his death in 1892. He is buried beside his father in the Kope Cemetery. Henry was born in 1838. He married Julia Ann Shook, and lived on a farm just east and south of Friendsville. He died in 1910, and is buried at Friendsville. Daniel was born in 1843 and died in 1849. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Mary was born in 1846 and died in 1854. She is buried in the Kope Cemetery. William was born in 1848. He married Sarah Burry, and lived on a small farm one mile east and three-fourths mile north of Herman. He worked with a threshing outfit as well as farmed. He died in 1911, and is buried at Jackson. Sarah was born in 1854. She married William McFadden and lived on her father's farm one and one-half miles east and one-fourth mile north of Herman. She died in 1904, and is buried in the Kope Cemetery, beside her father. Martin and Margaret had a total of 6 children and 5 grandchildren.

VALENTINE, SR.

Valentine, Sr., the fourth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1813. He died the same year, and is buried in Steinselz.

MICHAEL

Michael, the fifth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born Steinselz in 1815. He died the following year, and is buried beside his brother in Steinselz.

GEORGE

George, the sixth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1817. He came to America with his father and mother in 1831 at the age of 14. In 1844, he married Sophia Rebman. They bought a farm of 118 acres, located two and one-half miles

north of Canaan. The buildings stood on the crest of a high hill. To the north and west was a lovely view of the valley, which extended for miles into the distance. To the east were the lowlands surrounding the village of Creston. George built himself a new house in the shade of several large walnut trees. To the rear was a clear spring and to the north a summer house. Here, George and Sophia raised their family, and lived the rest of their lives. George died in 1902 at the age of 85 years, and is buried at Canaan. All his life he was a respected and prosperous member of Canaan Township. He was more conservative with his finances than any of his brothers, and consequently accumulated more worldly goods. At one time, he bought a farm for his son, Thomas, and paid cash for it in gold coins. He was small of stature, and had a swarthy complexion, which went well with his large dark eyes. He was quick-tempered and not always sociable, but could be generous and became quite jovial when events worked out according to his pleasure and conviction. George had a splendid voice and was musically inclined. A good number of his descendants have inherited his talent. To the union of George and Sophia were born seven children: Solomon, Simon, Mary, Sarah, Thomas, David and Caroline.

Solomon was born in 1845. He married Lydia Frank, and lived on a farm three miles north and one-half mile west of Canaan. In later life he went out west, and died in 1928 in Portland, Ore. Simon was born in 1847. He married Sarah Hoffman, and lived on his father's farm two and one-half miles north of Canaan. He died in 1925, and is buried in Creston. Mary was born in 1849. She married George Weimer, and lived on a farm two miles north of Canaan. She died in 1930, and is buried in Creston. Sarah was born in 1853. She married Samuel Frank, and lived on a farm two miles west of Lodi. Later, they lived in Lodi. She died in 1938, and is buried in Lodi. Thomas was born in 1855. He married Dessia Antles, and lived on a farm one mile east of Canaan. He died in 1918, and is buried in Creston. David was born in 1857, and died in 1862. He is buried in the Kope

Cemetery. Caroline was born in 1859. She married Almon Wright, and lived in Leroy. He ran a general carpenter shop, and specialized in the making of window shutters and window blinds. Caroline died in 1922, and is buried in Leroy. George and Sophia had a total of 7 children and 15 grandchildren.

MARY

Mary, the seventh child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1819. She was 12 years old when the family came to Ohio in 1831. In 1840, at the age of 18, she went to work for a widower by the name of Daniel Oller, who was left with a family of children to raise. The oldest girl was near Mary's age, and the two girls became fast friends. Mary was sweet and pretty with the result that Daniel married her in 1841. Her stepchildren all loved her, because she was good and kind, almost like their own mother. Eventually, she and Daniel had children of their own. They lived on a farm of 85 acres, located one-half mile east and one-half mile north of Golden Corners, adjoining Fred's and Valentine's farms. Here they raised their family, and lived until the death of Daniel in 1866. Following her husband's death, Mary lived for more than 20 years with her daughter, Caroline, near Spencer. She was old enough, when she migrated to America, to remember well her life in Europe, and the voyage across the Atlantic. She loved to tell her children and grandchildren tales of her own childhood, and never lost many of the mannerisms of Alsatian farm life. She loved thick milk and boiled potatoes all her life. Mary was a pleasant, gracious old lady, always singing at her work and praising God for his goodness. She died in 1899, at the age of 80 years, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery, located one and one-half miles east and one and one-fourth miles north of Homer. To the union of Mary and Daniel were born three children: Sarah, Zachrias and Caroline.

Sarah was born in 1842. She married Nathan Billman, and lived on a farm one-half mile east of Homer. She died in 1928, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. Zachrias

was born in 1844. He married Rachel Kramer, and lived on a farm two miles west of Lodi. He lived his retired life in Lodi, and died there in 1934 at the ripe old age of 90 years. He had the honor of living to be the oldest of any of the eight generations of Fetzers. He is buried in Lodi. Caroline was born in 1848. She married John Simons, and lived on a farm one mile south and one-half mile east of Spencer. She died in 1932, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. Mary and Daniel had a total of 3 children and 8 grandchildren.

FREDERICK

Frederick, the eighth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinslez in 1821. He was 10 years old, when he came to Canaan Township with the rest of his family in 1831. In 1845, he married Lucy Ann Hoff. They bought a farm of 160 acres, located one and one-half miles east and one mile north of Golden Corners. His land adjoined the farms of both his brother Valentine and his sister, Mary Oller. Between Valentine and Fred was a tract of solid timber. Fred's house and barn were surrounded by large trees, that gave them cool shade all summer long. Here, Fred and his wife raised their family, and lived their entire married life. There was an artistic strain and a refinement about Fred and his family, which no doubt was inherited from the aristocratic Marie Magdalena Heinrich. He was a small good-looking man, who loved beauty wherever he found it. Fine horses were his hobby, and he owned many of them in his time. He was pleasant in disposition and good to everybody, his family, relatives, friends and neighbors. Upon his death in 1882, he was mourned by everyone. He died at the age of 61, and is buried in the Kope Cemetery. He was the first of the fourth generation of Fetzers to die in America. To the union of Frederick and Lucy Ann were born eight children: Jonathan, Sophia, Elizabeth, Sarah, Henry, Maria, Calvin and Jennie.

Jonathan was born in 1846. He married Rebecca Brinkerhoff, and lived on a farm one-half mile south and one-half mile east of Overton. He died in 1930, and is buried in Wooster.

Sophia was born in 1848. She married Alverada Zuver, and lived on a farm one mile north of Canaan. She died in 1915, and is buried in Wooster. Elizabeth was born in 1850. She married Samuel Long, and lived on a farm near Miamesburg, Ohio. She died in 1934, and is buried at Miamesburg. Sarah was born in 1852. She married Adelbert Wiles, and lived on a farm near Lafayette. She died in 1924, and is buried in Medina. Henry was born in 1855. He was a teacher and taugh both public and private school for many years. He wrote and read a history of the Fetzer Family to date at the first Reunion in 1881. We are, therefore, indebted to him for practically all of the early facts and dates recorded in the forepart of this history. He married and lived in Chattanooga, Tenn. He died in 1922, and is buried in Chattanooga. Marie was born in 1857. She married Rezin Talley, and lived on a farm two miles east of Herman. She died in 1940, and is buried in Wooster. Calvin was born in 1862, and died in 1866. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Jennie was born in 1871. She married Charles Garver, and for 10 years farmed one mile north and one mile east of Golden Corners. They lived for 8 years in Wooster, and for the past 22 years have been living in Akron. Frederick and Lucy Ann had a total of 8 children and 28 grandchildren.

ELIZABETH

Elizabeth, the ninth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1823. She was 8 years old in 1831, when the family came to Wayne County. In 1842, she married Demas Summers. They bought a farm of 160 acres, located one mile east of Golden Corners. All of their children were born there. Later, they moved to Canaan, and lived their until the death of Demas in 1887. The last years of her life, Elizabeth lived with her daughter, Florence, in Cleveland, and died there in 1909 at the age of 86 years. She is buried in the Lutheran Cemetery, locatd one mile west and one mile south of Canaan. She was the last of the fourth generation of Fetzers. Demas was a carpenter, a cabinet maker and the community undertaker, as well as a

successful farmer. Elizabeth made him an ideal wife. She was proud and goodlooking, and carried herself with dignity and bearing. All of Canaan Township spoke well of Demas Summers' wife. Like her brothers, she had a quick temper and wanted her own way, which sometimes made it difficult for hired help. But she was good at heart and always generous. Like her sisters, she was a devout Lutheran.

To the Union of Elizabeth and Demas were born ten children: James, Henry, Rachel, Emeline, Maria, Barbara, Florence, DeForest, Stephen and Anna. Only three of the children grew to maturity. Rachel died in 1849 at less than one year of age; Emeline died at birth in 1850; James, Henry, and the twins Maria and Barbara died during an epidemic of Scarlet Fever in 1854; and Stephen died in 1865 at the age of less than 4 years. They are all buried in the Kope Cemetery. Elizabeth grieved deeply over the loss of so many children. She used to say with her voice full of tears, "If I could only raise one, just one, I would be happy." Florence was born in 1855. She married Frank Smith and lived in Cleveland. He bought and sold wool. Florence died in 1934, and is buried in Cleveland. DeForest was born in 1858. He married Ella Hoisington, and for a time lived on the farm one mile east of Golden Corners. He lived in Canaan for some years, then moved to Medina and later to Los Angeles, Calif. He died in 1938, and is buried in Los Angeles. Anna was born in 1866. She married Darr W. Anderson, a bookkeeper, and lived in Pittsburgh. She is now living with her son Fred, in Latrobe, Pa. Elizabeth and Demas had a total of 10 children and 2 grandchildren.

VALENTINE, JR.

Valentine, Jr., the tenth child of Barnhard and Marie, was born in Steinselz in 1827. He was only 4 years old, when the family came to Jackson in 1831. He was such a beautiful child, that on the voyage across the ocean, a childless couple offered to buy him from Barnhard and Marie. "No, no," said Marie.

"Parents never have so many children that they can afford to part with a single one." She loved the child Valentine very much.

He grew to manhood on the old homestead in Canaan. In 1851, he married Lucinda Oller. They bought a farm of 75 acres, located one mile north and one mile east of Golden Corners. The land adjoined his brother Fred's farm to the east and that of his sister Mary to the south. He built a fine house of two stories, in the usual French Colonial style, with a large wing to the rear. Here, he and Lucinda raised their family, and lived their entire married life. Valentine died in 1905, and is buried in Wooster. His life was an easy going and happy one, in spite of the domineering tendency of his good wife. He was a fat, jolly man with a beaming smile, the best natured one of the ten children of Barnhard. He was always sociable and a pleasing host. He would laugh until his 225 pounds would quiver. His weight was often a detriment to his work, much to his wife's exasperation. Once a prize calf began to choke in a meadow nearby. "Run quick," cried Lucinda, "the red calf's choking." "Can't do it," shouted Valentine, "too fat." He liked fine cattle and was an excellent butcher. Valentine loved trees and many an afternoon, in his old age, he spent on his porch wrapped in the peaceful shade of the fine old trees surrounding his home. To the union of Valentine and Lucinda were born six children: Perry, Daniel, Margaret, Albert, Laura and Jacob.

Perry was born in 1852 and died in 1855. He is buried in the Kope Cemetery. Daniel was born in 1854. He married Sarah Orr, and lived on farms near Medina and Easton. He died in 1902, and is buried in Medina. Margaret was born in 1856. She married George Snell, and lived on a farm one and one-half miles east and one mile north of Golden Corners. She died in 1898, and is buried at the Lutheran Church Cemetery. Albert was born in 1866. He married Sadie Mowrer, and lived for many years on a farm two miles east of Wooster. He is, at present, living on a small place in that same community. Laura was born in 1869. She married Clifford Sondels, and lived at various

places in Medina, Wayne, Holmes and Coshocton Counties. She is at present living with her brother Jake on the home farm. Jacob was born in 1874. He married Amelia Meske, and lives on his father's farm, one mile north and one mile east of Golden Corners. Valentine and Lucinda had a total of 6 children and 3 grandchildren.

MARGARET

Margaret, the eleventh child of Barnhard and Marie, was the last one of the children to be born in Steinselz. She was born in 1829, and was a baby of only two years, when they migrated to this country. She was reared and educated in America, and of course had no recollection of the fatherland. She was a vain and proud young girl, with a beauty all her own, and a love of fine clothes. She inherited many of her mother's characteristics, especially her love for children and her pleasure in nice possessions. In 1852, she married Jacob Rebman, who, as years progressed, was able to give her many of the luxuries of life. For a few years, they lived on a farm, one mile west of Canaan. Later, they moved to Medina County. They finally bought a farm, located one mile east and one mile south of Spencer. Here, they finished raising their family, and lived the rest of their lives. Margaret died in 1901, at the age of 72 years, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. To the union of Margaret and Jacob were born five children: Reuben, Francis, Emma, Adelia and Ella.

Reuben was born in 1853. He married Matilda Byers, and lived on a farm two miles west of Burbank. He died in 1923, and is buried at Burbank. Francis was born in 1857. He married Melissa Lechleitner, and lived on a farm one mile east and one and one-half miles south of Spencer. He died in 1938, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. Emma was born in 1859. She married Daniel Rice, and lived on a farm one mile south and two miles east of Spencer. She died in 1923, and is buried in the East Homer Reformed Cemetery. Adelia was born in 1861, and died in 1862. She is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. Ella was born in 1867. She married Sylvester

Billman, and lived on a farm two miles south and one mile east of Spencer. She died in 1900, and is buried in the East Homer Lutheran Cemetery. Margaret and Jacob had a total of 5 children and 5 grandchildren.

PETER

Peter, the twelfth and youngest child of Barnhard and Marie, was born on the original homestead southeast of Jackson in 1832. He had the honor of being the only one of the fourth generation of Fetzers to be born in America. He was only 17 years old when his father died in 1849. He, therefore, stayed at home and farmed the land for his mother. Peter married twice. In 1857, he married Sarah Ann Hoff. In 1865, following the death of his mother, they bought the home farm from the rest of his brothers for $500. He had paid off the girls in 1862 for $612. Here, they continued to farm and raised their family.

He made many improvements during his lifetime on the buildings and land. He built an addition to the original log house, and later on remodeled the entire structure. The house stood on a sharp rise of ground, surrounded on three sides by a ravine, which had been cut out by a creek and high water. The ravine widened out in front of the house into a meadow, which was flooded during spring rains. A springhouse stood at the foot of the hill in front of the house. Peter's children and before them, his own brothers and sisters had to carry water from the spring up the sharp incline to the house. During high water, the milk cans floated around on top of the water, which rose half way up the walls of the springhouse. Peter also built, during his life, a large bank barn, which was his pride and joy until his death.

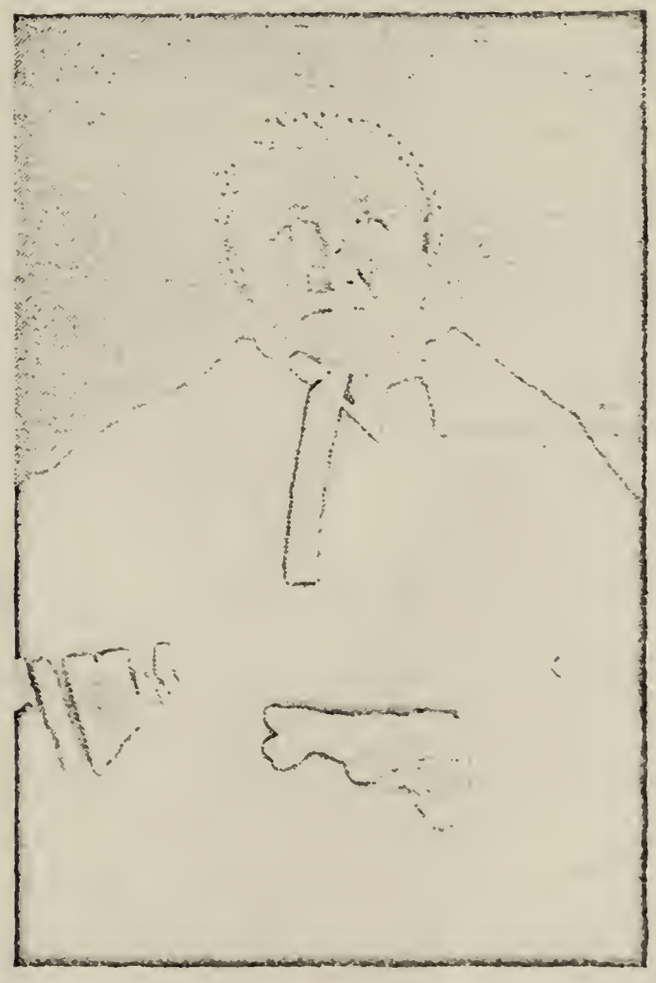
In 1873, Sarah Ann, his first wife, died. The following year, Peter married Mrs. Catherine Kampler, a widow. He lived the rest of his days there on the old homestead, and died there in 1904. He is buried at Canaan. In appearance, he looked much like his brother Fred, handsome and pleasant. He was a nervous, highstrung man and a hard, fast worker. His nephews called him

"the hurry up man". He had a high temper when angry, but the next minute would do something generous for the nearest person. He loved good music and could sing, conduct and even accompany a little on the organ. He learned the carpenter trade from his brother-in-law, Demas Summers, and for a short time studied for the ministry. But like his father and brothers, he spent his life planting, harvesting and working in the good earth. To the union of Peter and Sarah Ann were born nine children: Flora, Perry, Amanda, Levi, Emma, Ida, Alvah, Della and Calvin. To the union of Peter and Catherine were born two children, Edward and Merta.

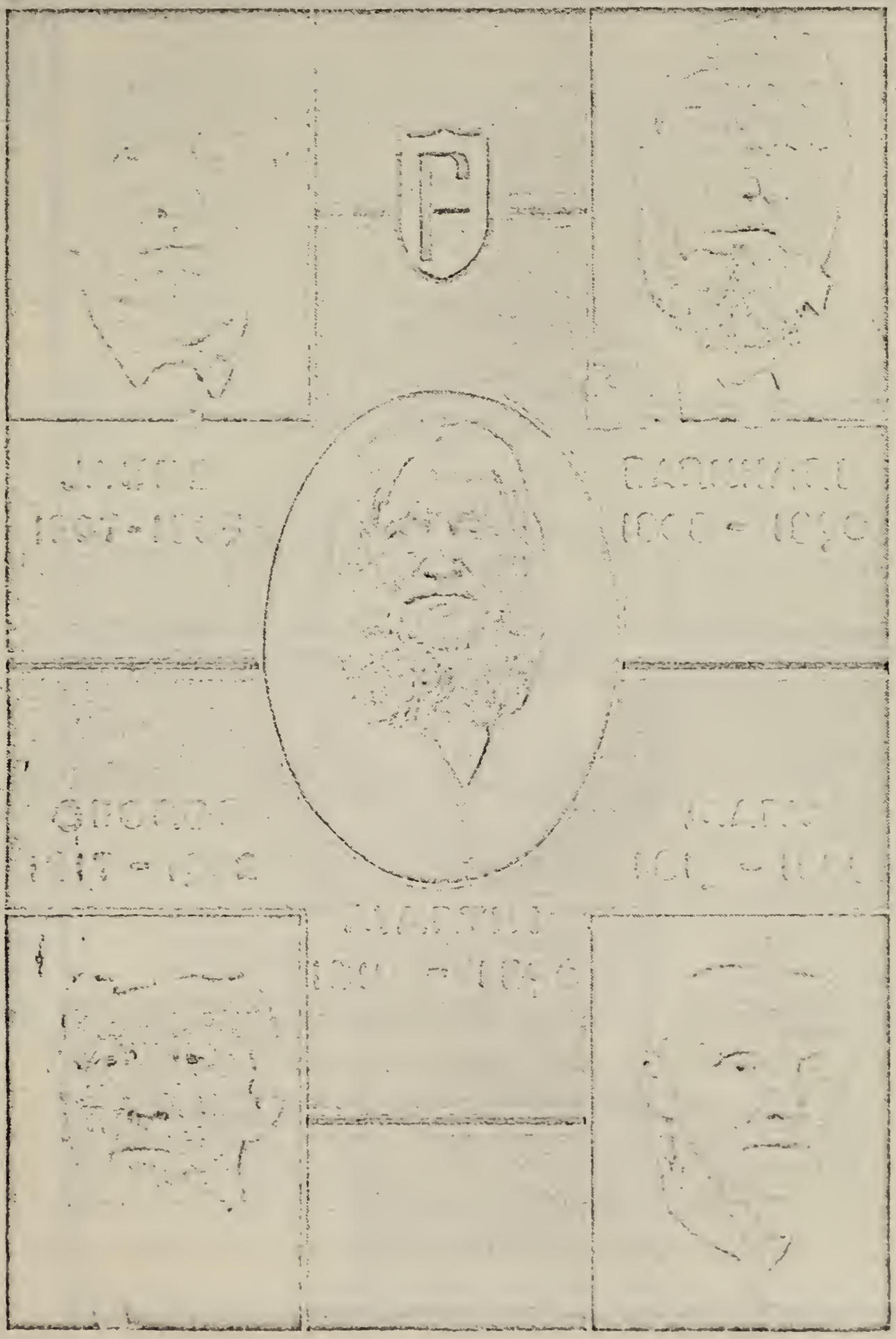
Flora was born in 1858. She married Frank Pontius, and lived for a number of years in Creston. Frank was a railroad express agent in Creston. They have, for many years, lived in Ashland, where Frank has been doing a painting and papering business. Perry was born in 1859. He married Florence Wiles, and lived on a farm one mile west of Canaan. He died in 1933, and is buried at Canaan. Amanda was born in 1861. She married Joseph Slater, and lived on a small farm on the edge of Orrville. She died in 1936, and is buried at Canaan. Levi was born in 1863. He married Lydia Myers, and lived most of his married life in and around Akron. He farmed most of the time, and later moved to a farm near Marshallville. At present, he is living in Doylestown. Emma was born in 1865, the year the Civil War ended, and also the same year her Grandmother, Marie Magdalena, died. In 1884, she married Charles Sell, and lived for a number of years on a farm one mile west and one mile north of Canaan. In 1900, they sold their farm, and moved on the old homestead to farm and take care of her father. In 1904, following Peter's death, they bought the farm from the rest of the heirs, and lived there until the year of her death in 1923. She is buried at Canaan. Ida was born in 1867. She married Henry Geyer, and lived for years on a farm east of Madisonburg. In later years, they lived in Creston. Ida died in 1936, and is buried at Canaan. Alvah was born in 1869. He married Ella Sell, and lived for

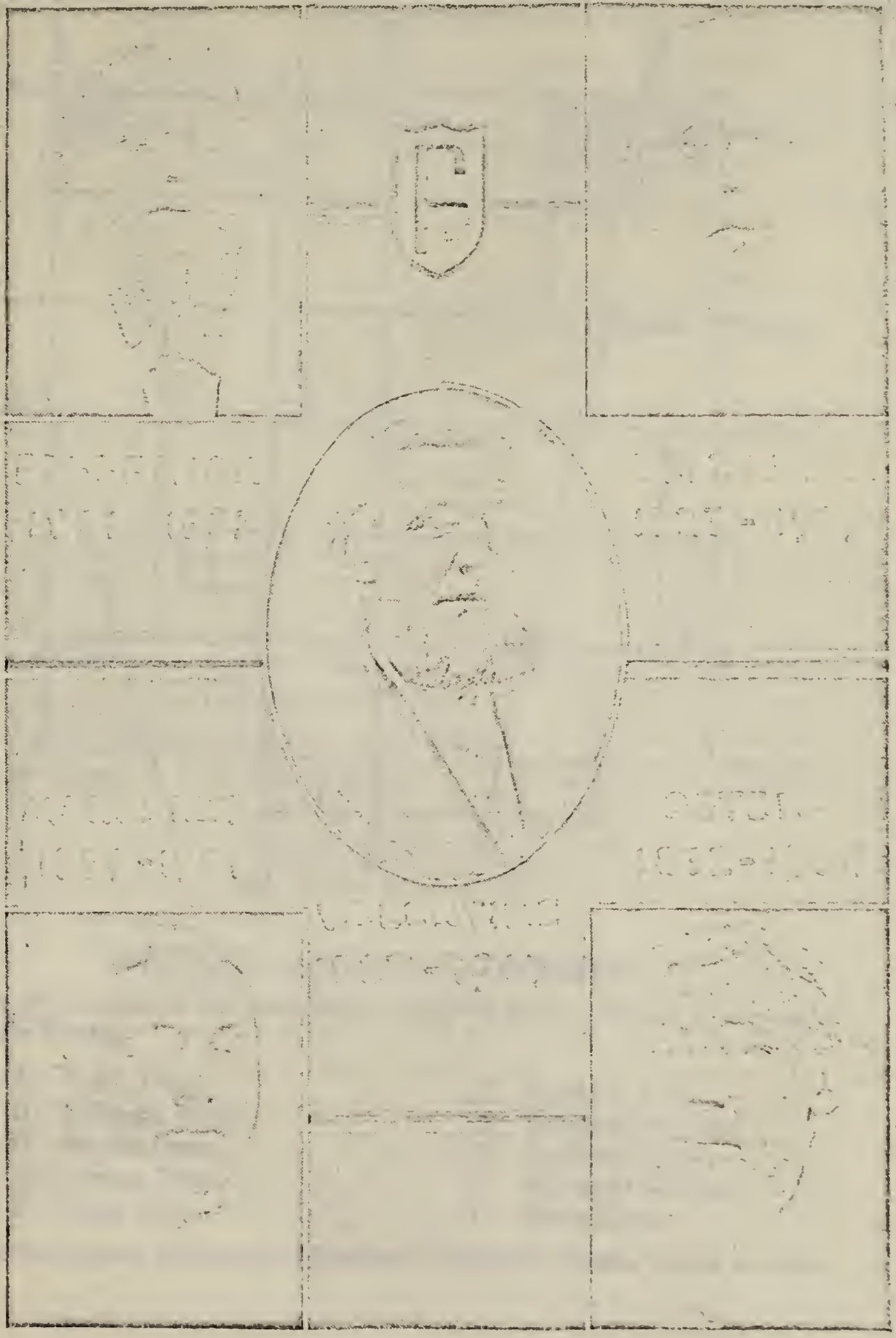
many years on his farm one mile south of Canaan. He is at present married to Lydia McFadden, and lives on a small farm north of Wooster. Della was born in 1871. She married Henry Knepp, a surveyor, and lived in Wooster. She died in 1938, and is buried at Jackson. Calvin was born in 1873. He married Nora Stinson, and worked for many years at the Diamond Rubber Co. in Akron. Later, he moved to Monmouth, Oregon, and has since that time been running a restaurant there. Edward was born in 1875. He never married, and stayed at home until his father's death in 1904. Since that time, he has been working on various farms in Cannan Township. Merta was born in 1878. She married Forest Mougy, a well driller, and lived in Sterling. She died in 1935, and is buried at Marshallville. Peter had a total of 11 children and 29 granchildren.

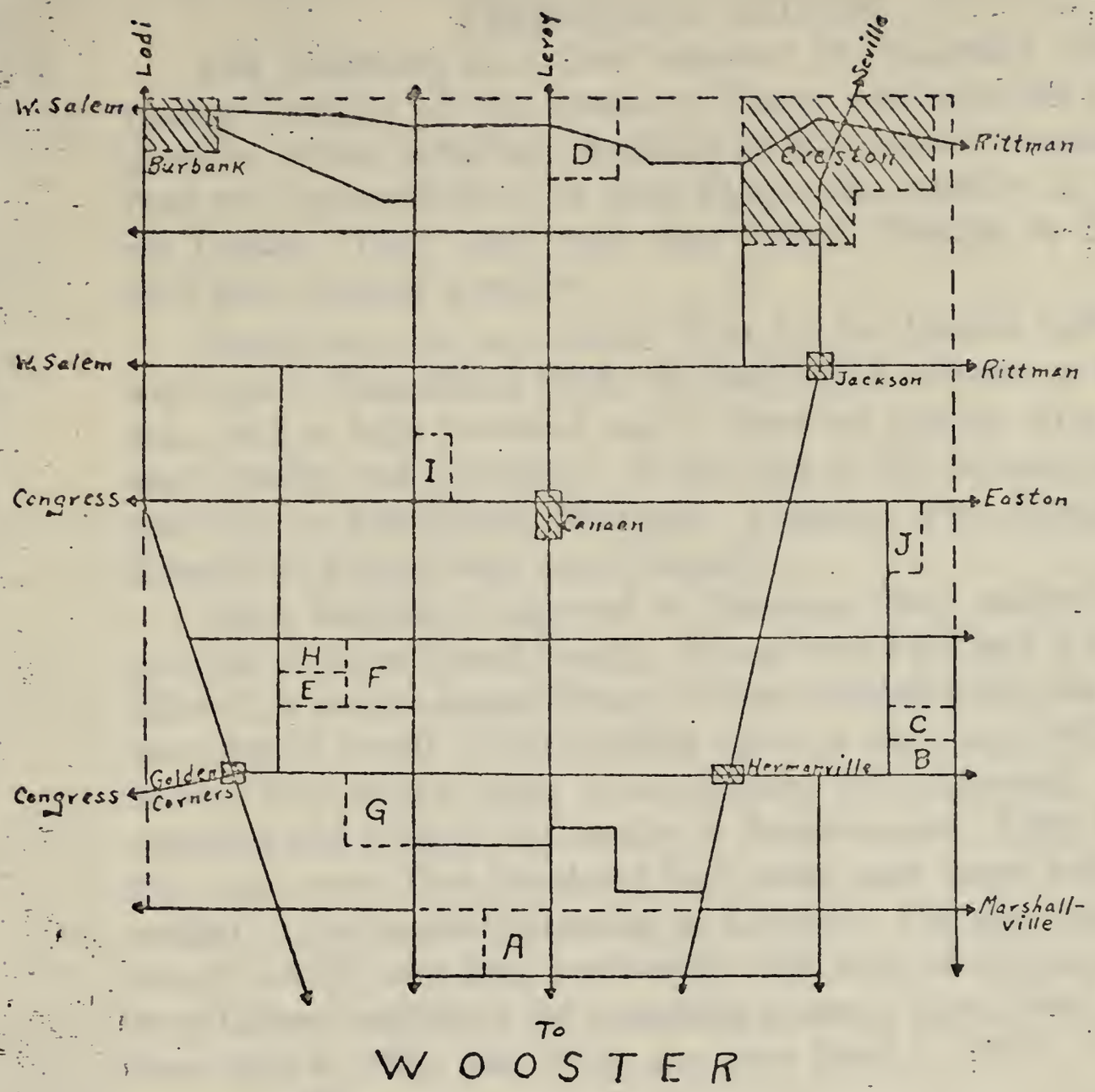
Thus, we come to the close of the History of the Fetzer Family. The contents of this book speaks for itself. The romance, connected with the founding and development of the Fetzer Family, has been recorded within its pages for coming generations. It has not been the privilege of the present generation to witness the scenes in connection with the struggles, sacrifices and labor of our ancestors. But their vision, courage and industry will not soon be forgotten. For six generations, the members of this family have lived near to nature, and tilled the soil. They were and are with few exceptions middle class farmers. Their progressiveness and religious devotion have helped to make America what it is today, a haven of democracy for the whole world. Let us reconsecrate ourselves, as a family, to the same high ideals of community spirit and patriotic citizenship that they possessed, so that these things may not perish from the earth.



Marie Magdalena Heinrich Fetzer
Born in Berlenbach. Alsace in 1780
Married Barnhard Fetzer in 1806
Came to America in 1831
Died in 1865







MAP OF CANAAN TOWNSHIP

Showing the location of the home farm of each of the ten children of Barnhard and Marie Fetzer.

A. Jacob Fetzer
B. Barnhard Fetzer
C. Martin Fetzer
D. George Fetzer
E. Mary Oller
F. Frederick Fetzer
G. Elizabeth Summers
H. Valentine Fetzer
I. Margaret Rebman
J. Peter Fetzer

J. is also the original homestead of Barnhard and Marie Fetzer, bought in 1831.

FREDERICK FETZER

The following is a brief account of Frederick Fetzer, a younger brother of the Barnhard Fetzer who was the paternal ancestor of the genealogy included in this book. Barnhard and Fred were grandchildren of Paul Fetzer, the founder of the Fetzer Family. They lived with their father, Martin, in Steinselz until they reached maturity.

Frederick, who was called Fritz by his friends and family, was born in Steinselz in 1793. He was very handsome as a young man, with a high forehead and a clean cut profile. His manner was friendly and appealing. At the age of 27, he was united in marriage to Magdalena Younker. Together with Barnhard, he farmed the Fetzer land near Steinselz.

After Barnhard migrated to America, Fritz carried on with the help of his wife and family. Times were hard and it was very difficult to make a decent living. It was inevitable that the peasant class would revolt. This uprising came in the year 1840, and so it was that in the midst of revolution, Fritz hurriedly sold his property and brought his family to America also. They followed the same route that Barnhard had taken nine years before, and settled in the same Township of Canaan. He and Magdalena bought an 80 acre farm one-fourth mile west of Herman. There they labored and lived the remaining years of their lives. Magdalena died in 1870 and Fritz one year later in 1871. They are buried at Canaan.

To the union of Fred and Magdalena were born four children: Frederick, Saloma, Magdalena and Martin. Martin and his wife Suzanna took care of Fritz and his wife during the last few years of their lives, and remained on the home farm for 12 years. Suzanna was a grandchild of Barnhard, and consequently, the genealogy of the descendants of Martin and Suzanna are included in the genealogy of Barnhard and his ten children. The other son of Fritz fought and died in the Civil War. He was unmarried, and consequently left no descendants. Therefore, all the descendants of Paul Fetzer of Weissenburg, Alsace, who bear the name of Fetzer, are in the genealogy included in this book.

GENEALOGY

In listing the genealogy which follows, we have listed Paul Fetzer as the first generation; Martin Fetzer as the second generation; Barnhard Fetzer as the third generation; the twelve children of Barnhard marked I, II, III, IV, etc., as the fourth generation; the grandchildren of Barnhard marked A, B, C, D, etc., as the fifth generation; the great grandchildren of Barnhard marked 1, 2, 3, 4, etc., as the sixth generation; and the great, great grandchildren of Barnhard marked a, b, c, d, etc., as the seventh generation. There is one more generation now in existence, namely the eighth generation, but it is not listed. Our research stopped with the seventh generation. We recommend that each individual continue the genealogy of his or her particular branch through the eighth generation. There were 12 members of the fourth generation; 74 members of the fifth generation; 169 members of the sixth generation; and 170 members of the seventh generation. Therefore, there are 425 names listed in the following genealogy.

KEY

1st Generation Paul Fetzer*.
2nd Generation Martin Fetzer*.
3rd Generation Barnhard Fetzer* 1779-1849.
4th Generation marked I, II, III, IV, V, VI, etc.
5th Generation marked A, B, C, D, E, F, etc.
6th Generation marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, etc.
7th Generation marked a, b, c, d, e, f, etc.
8th Generation not given.
*—Deceased.

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I. Jacob Fetzer*	1807-1885	Canaan, Ohio
A. Barnhard Fetzer*	1833-1910	Spencer, Ohio
1. Frank Fetzer*	1860-1907	Spencer, Ohio
2. Aaron Fetzer*	1861-1937	Spencer, Ohio
3. Simon Fetzer*	1863-1916	Spencer, Ohio
a. Elmer Fetzer	1896-	Akron, Ohio
b. Dora Stuart (Paul)	1898-	Spencer, Ohio
c. William Fetzer	1902-	Yakima, Wash.
d. John Fetzer*	1906-1922	Spencer, Ohio
4. Mary Whitman* (Arthur*)	1865-1923	West Salem, Ohio
a. Floyd Whitman	1894-	Lodi, Ohio
5. John Fetzer	1869-	Seville, Ohio
a. Vinna Eshleman* (Howard)	1899-1937	Homerville, Ohio
b. Lester Fetzer	1901-	Lodi, Ohio
c. Reed Fetzer	1908-	Tiffin, Ohio
d. Catherine Delagrange (Donald)	1912-	Seville, Ohio
6. Elizabeth Moor (Vernon)	1872-	Red Haw, Ohio
7. Rebecca Wood (William)	1875-	West Salem, Ohio
a. Clarence Wood	1905-	West Salem, Ohio
B. Abraham Fetzer* Died in the Civil War	1841-1864	
C. Rebecca Weimer* (Frederick*)	1843-1882	Lodi, Ohio
1. Amanda Bennader* (Charles*)	1865-1926	Lodi, Ohio
2. Daniel Weimer*	1867-1934	Medina, Ohio
3. William Weimer	1869-	Medina, Ohio
4. Martin Weimer*	1872-1929	Medina, Ohio
5. John Weimer	1874-	Homerville, Ohio
6. Sylvia Weimer	1876-	Cleveland, Ohio
7. George Weimer*	1878-1896	Lodi, Ohio
D. Earhart Fetzer*	1845-1918	Creston, Ohio
1. Charles Fetzer*	1881-1940	Orrville, Ohio
a. Edna Weiss (Lister)	1905-	Akron, Ohio
b. Doris Fetzer	1909-	Orrville, Ohio
c. Donald Fetzer	1916-	Chicago, Ill.
2. Clarence Fetzer*	1883-1935	Creston, Ohio
3. Seymour Fetzer	1887-	West Salem, Ohio
a. Eugene Fetzer	1916-	Lodi, Ohio
b. Omar Fetzer	1922-	West Salem, Ohio
c. Clair Fetzer	1928-	West Salem, Ohio

4. Neal Fetzer* ..... 1889-1918 Creston, Ohio
5. Clara Barnhart (Albert) ..... 1891- Sterling, Ohio
6. Hazel Shire (Glenn) ..... 1895- Canton, Ohio

E. Jacob Fetzer* ..... 1848-1933 Canaan, Ohio
1. Elsie Welty (Dwight) ..... 1885- Cleveland, Ohio
a. John Welty ..... 1917- Cleveland, Ohio
b. Ruth Welty ..... 1922- Cleveland, Ohio
2. Vernon Fetzer ..... 1890- Creston, Ohio
a. Harold Fetzer ..... 1913- Medina, Ohio
b. Ethel King (Charles) ..... 1914- Creston, Ohio
3. Mae Johnson (Scott) ..... 1894- Corry, Pa.
a. Lucille Haight (Thomas) ..... 1917- Medina, Ohio
b. Dorothy Johnson ..... 1923- Corry, Pa.
4. Earl Fetzer ..... 1892- Burbank, Ohio
a. Robert Fetzer ..... 1921- Burbank, Ohio
b. Donald Fetzer ..... 1927- Burbank, Ohio
c. Kathryn Fetzer ..... 1934- Burbank, Ohio

F. Daniel Fetzer* ..... 1850-1935 Creston, Ohio
1. Elva Bowman (Arthur) ..... 1886- Creston, Ohio
2. Oscar Fetzer ..... 1892- Creston, Ohio
a. Darla Joan Fetzer ..... 1939- Creston, Ohio

II. Barnhard Fetzer* ..... 1808-1890 Hermanville, Ohio
A. George Fetzer* ..... 1838-1920 Hermanville, Ohio
1. Allen Fetzer* ..... 1866-1930 Creston, Ohio
a. Alta Silver (Roger) ..... Wooster, Ohio
b. Pearl Harpster (Ralph) ..... Palm Beach, Fla.
2. Clarence Fetzer* ..... 1871-1939 Creston, Ohio

B. Margaret Hoff* (Daniel*) ..... 1839-1923 Sterling, Ohio
1. Perry Hoff ..... 1860- San Francisco, Cal.
2. Edmund Hoff* ..... 1861-1916 Cleveland, Ohio
3. Elmer Hoff ..... 1863- Creston, Ohio
4. Ida Blough Lambert (Jacob*) ..... 1866- Rittman, Ohio
5. Calvin Hoff ..... 1873- Sterling, Ohio
6. Ella Eby Berry (Thomas) ..... 1876- Fairview Village, Ohio
7. Cora Brenneman (Willard) ..... 1879- Wooster, Ohio
8. Ora Hoff ..... 1879- Sterling, Ohio
9. Minnie Bowman (Edward) ..... 1881- Creston, Ohio

C. Samuel Fetzer* ..... 1841-1898 Creston, Ohio
1. Euthemia Hartzler* (Samuel) ..... 1866-1935 Glennie, Mich.
a. Dora Duncan (Romeo) ..... 1890- Mikado, Mich.
b. Jewel Scherr (George) ..... 1892- Haviland, Kan.
c. Hazel Hartzler* ..... 1897-1911 Glennie, Mich.
d. Mildred Randall (Norman) 1899- Mio, Mich.
e. Herbert Hartzler ..... 1901- Harrisville, Mich.
f. Alice Hartzler ..... 1904- Glennie, Mich.
g. Martha Hartzler* ..... 1906-1934 Glennie, Mich.
h. Walter Hartzler ..... 1911- Glennie, Mich.

2. Zeno Fetzer*	1867-1909	Helena, Okla.
a. Reah Yoder (Milton)	1895-	Barberton, Ohio
b. Paul Fetzer	1897-	Ridley Park, Pa.
c. Dale Fetzer	1899-	Helena, Okla.
d. Goldie McNaught (Andrew)	1900-	Oneonta, N. Y.
e. Treasa Potter* (Ward)	1903-1936	Hydro, Okla.
f. Earl Fetzer	1908-	Dallas, Texas
3. Lillian Hutchinson* (William)	1870-1925	Smithville, Ohio
a. Virgil Hutchinson	1898-	Smithville, Ohio
b. Hildreth Hitchcox (Guy)	1900-	Hametown, Ohio
c. Honor Hutchinson	1907-	Cleveland, Ohio
4. James H. Fetzer*	1872-1874	
5. Sarah Krupp* (Christian)	1874-1940	Barberton, Ohio
a. Russell Krupp	1903-	Barberton, Ohio
b. Richard Krupp	1906-	Stow, Ohio
c. Rachel Krupp	1908-1909	Barberton, Ohio
d. Ilma Miller (Ralph)	1909-	Barberton, Ohio
e. Neal Krupp	1911-	Noblesville, Ind.
f. Ralph Krupp	1916-1917	Barberton, Ohio
6. Amanda Yoder (Menno)	1876-	Barberton, Ohio
a. Harold Yoder	1904-	Barberton, Ohio
b. Gertrude Berlesky (Harry)	1906-	Barberton, Ohio
c. Margaret Yoder	1910-	Barberton, Ohio
7. Effie Yoder (Clarence)	1879-	Morrill, Kan.
a. Horace Yoder	1905-	Independence, Kan.
b. Homer Yoder	1906-	Howard, Kan.
c. Mary Robinson (George)	1911-	Morrill, Kan.
8. Cyrus Fetzer	1880-	Creston, Ohio
a. Marjorie Fetzer	1913-	Creston, Ohio
b. Andrew Fetzer*	1914-1914	Creston, Ohio
c. Ellsworth Fetzer	1915-	Creston, Ohio
d. Eileen Rhoads (Melvin)	1916-	Berwyn, Md.
9. Jessie Yoder (Daniel)	1882-	Wooster, Ohio
a. Kermit Yoder	1908-	Wooster, Ohio
b. Marcile Lathan (Clyde*)	1909-	Wooster, Ohio
c. Heber Yoder	1915-	Wooster, Ohio
d. Mary Yoder*	1916-1920	Wooster, Ohio
e. Richard Yoder	1925-	Wooster, Ohio
10. Oliver L. Fetzer*	1885-1886	
11. Zoe Shisler (Adrian)	1887-	Smithville, Ohio
a. Wilson Shisler*	1913-1913	Smithville, Ohio
b. Eldo Shisler	1915-	Smithville, Ohio
c. Ellen King (Homer)	1915-	Orrville, Ohio
d. Wilbur Shisler	1918-	Smithville, Ohio
e. Mary Jane Shisler	1921-	Smithville, Ohio
f. Phillis Shisler	1925-	Smithville, Ohio
g. Paul Shisler	1927-	Smithville, Ohio
D. Barnhard Fetzer*	1843-1843	Hermanville, Ohio
E. David Fetzer*	1844-1845	Hermanville, Ohio

F. Joseph Fetzer* ..... 1846-1929 Elkhart, Ind.
1. Gertrude Jefferies (Charles) ....1870- S. Laguna, Cal.
a. Corwin Jefferies* ..... 1892-1929 Elkhart, Ind.
b. Allene Hodson (Palmer) ....1894- Pittsburgh, Pa.
c. Lucille Burner (Clarence) ..1898- S. Laguna, Cal.
d. Charles Jefferies .....1903- Goshen, Ind.
e. Edwin Jefferies .....1907- Pittsburgh, Pa.
f. Jack Jefferies .....1911- Pittsburgh, Pa.
2. Mamie Hull (Elwood*) .....1872- South Bend, Ind.
a. Dorothy Gehres (Dr.R.W.) 1897- Shelbyville, Ind.
b. Marjorie Bullock (Max) .....1899- South Bend, Ind.
3. Mabel Staudt (Peter) .....1873- Elkhart, Ind.
a. Catherine Jordahl (Olaf) ....1903- Parkland, Wash.
b. Gretchen Alwine (Donald) 1906- Elkhart, Ind.
c. Harriet Wunderlich (Boyd) 1908- La Crescenta, Cal.
4. Ernest Fetzer* .....1877-1939 Elkhart, Ind.
a. George Fetzer* ..... 1902-1903 Elkhart, Ind.
b. Wear Fetzer* .....1908-1918 Elkhart, Ind.
G. Suzanna Fetzer* (Martin*) .....1848-1930 Creston, Ohio
1. Lerma Young (Frank) ..... 1870- Seville, Ohio
a. Hazel Reese (Charles) .....1893- Columbus, Ohio
b. Rena Reese (Elno*) .....1895- Seville, Ohio
c. Ray Young .....1903- Columbus, Ohio
d. Virginia Harrison (John) ....1913- Columbus, Ohio
2. Dell Price* (George*) .....1871-1931 S. Chicago, Ill.
a. Larkin Price .....1902- S. Chicago, Ill.
3. Elgie Schlegel (Christian*) ....1872- Creston, Ohio
a. Neal Schlegel* ..... 1894-1911 Creston, Ohio
b. Ethel Allen (Van*) .....1896- Creston, Ohio
c. Harold Schlegel .....1897- Kent, Ohio
4. Ella Edwards* (Charles*) ..... 1874-1911 Wooster, Ohio
5. Neal Fetzer .....1876- Akron, Ohio
a. Everett Fetzer .....1901- New Castle, Pa.
b. Dorothy Rupp (Charles) ....1905- Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio
6. Ernest Fetzer* .....1877-1925 Akron, Ohio
a. Edith Tetlock ( ) ....1902- Detroit, Mich.
b. Harley Fetzer .....1904- Wadsworth, Ohio
7. Anna Cunningham* (Charles) 1879-1937 Akron, Ohio
a. Wade Cunningham .....1903- Warren, Ohio
b. Robert Cunningham .....1912- Akron, Ohio
c. Margaret Cunningham .....1912- Akron, Ohio
8. Blanch Simons (Harry) .....1881- Ashland, Ohio
a. John Simons .....1910- Ashland, Ohio
9. Maud Plank (Samuel) .....1884- Ashland, Ohio
a. Jane Plank .....1911- Ashland, Ohio
b. Naomi Plank .....1916- Ashland, Ohio
c. Edward Plank .....1918- Ashland, Ohio
10. Roy Fetzer* .....1886-1936 Akron, Ohio
H. Katherine Devinney* (Curtiss*) 1851-1931 Wooster, Ohio
1. Charles Devinney .....1877- Elyria, Ohio
2. John Devinney .....1880- Elyria, Ohio
I. Magdalena Fetzer* .....1854-1856 Hermanville, Ohio

J. Mary Ritz* (Solomon*)	1856-	Tulsa, Okla.
1. William Ritz*	1879-1904	Yellville, Ark.
2. Grace Steube (Wm. Henry)	1882-	Tulsa, Okla.
3. Welthie Ashby* (Ernest)	1886-1915	Tulsa Okla.
4. Della Ritz*	1890-1901	Tulsa, Okla.
5. Bess Ritz*	1892-1935	Yellville, Ark.
6. Ernest Ritz	1895-	Tulsa, Okla.
7. Royal Ritz	1902-	St. Louis, Mo.
K. Andrew Fetzer*	1859-1938	Orrville, Ohio
1. Amberson Fetzer	1891-	Columbus, Ohio
a. Jane Fetzer	1922-	Columbus, Ohio
b. Annabelle Fetzer	1925-	Columbus, Ohio
2. Orlando Fetzer	1892-	Orrville, Ohio
3. Glenna Fetzer	1895-	Alliance, Ohio
4. Fred Fetzer	1902-	Canton, Ohio
a. Janet Fetzer	1933-	Canton, Ohio
b. Nancy Fetzer	1935-	Canton, Ohio
c. Jack A. Fetzer	1938-	Canton, Ohio
L. Amos Fetzer*	1861-1867	Hermanville, Ohio
III. Martin Fetzer*	1811-1896	Hermanville, Ohio
A. John Fetzer*	1835-1892	Hermanville, Ohio
B. Henry Fetzer*	1838-1910	Friendsville, Ohio
1. Elmer Fetzer*	1871-1901	Friendsville, Ohio
a. Clair Fetzer	1896-	Los Angeles, Cal.
b. Carol Johnson (James)	1899-	Tularoso, N. Mexico
2. Calvin Fetzer	1874-	Lodi, Ohio
a. Ruth Fetzer*	1896-1899	Lodi, Ohio
b. Harold Fetzer	1898-	Lodi, Ohio
c. Donald Fetzer	1901-	Lodi, Ohio
3. Neuman Fetzer	1882-	Barberton, Ohio
C. Daniel Fetzer*	1843-1849	Hermanville, Ohio
D. Mary Fetzer*	1846-1854	Hermanville, Ohio
E. William Fetzer*	1848-1911	Hermanville, Ohio
1. Ina Grunder (Charles)	1884-	Hermanville, Ohio
a. Merlin Grunder	1916-	Hermanville, Ohio
2. Lula Schaff (Frank)	1887-	Hermanville, Ohio
F. Sarah McFadden* (William*)	1854-1904	Hermanville, Ohio
IV. Valentine Fetzer, Sr.*	1813-1814	Steinselz, Alsace
V. Michael Fetzer*	1815-1816	Steinselz, Alsace
VI. George Fetzer*	1817-1902	Creston, Ohio
A. Solomon Fetzer*	1845-1928	Portland, Ore.
1. Herman Fetzer	1873-	Ashland, Ohio
a. Lawrence Clinker	1897-	Wooster, Ohio
b. Hazel Flint (Lexy*)	1894-	Burbank, Ohio
c. Harriet Sprinkle (Harold)	1906-	Ashland, Ohio
2. Harvey Fetzer	1875-	Oberlin, Ohio
a. Arleen Haines (Harold)	1900-	Leroy, Ohio
3. Hattie Myers (Ballard*)	1875-	Ashland, Ohio
a. Bonita Myers (Ted S.)	1903-	Ashland, Ohio

B. Simon Fetzer* ..... 1847-1925 Creston, Ohio
1. Mabel Swartz (Clarence) ..... 1884- Creston, Ohio
2. Gertrude Leggett (Frank*) ..... 1886- Creston, Ohio
a. Merle Leggett ..... 1910- Medina, Ohio
3. Rose Whonsetler (Clarence) 1889- Creston, Ohio
4. Carl Fetzer ..... 1893- Creston, Ohio
5. Paul Fetzer* ..... 1895-1929 Creston, Ohio
a. Ruth Huffman (William) .... 1922- Strassburg, Ohio
b. Rose Raber (Albert) ..... 1924- Canaan, Ohio
c. Lawrence Fetzer ..... 1926- Creston, Ohio
d. Leona Fetzer ..... 1928- Creston, Ohio

C. Mary Weimer* (George*) ..... 1849-1930 Creston, Ohio
1. Ora Littell* (Bert) ..... 1873-1940 Creston, Ohio

D. Sarah Frank* (Samuel) ..... 1853-1937 Lodi, Ohio
1. Ida Garver (Howard*) ..... 1879- Lodi, Ohio

E. Thomas Fetzer* ..... 1855-1918 Creston, Ohio
1. Effie Talley (Frank) ..... 1882- Jeromesville, Ohio
a. Merlin Talley ..... 1908- Jeromesville, Ohio
2. Ellis Fetzer ..... 1884- Wooster, Ohio
a. Harry Fetzer ..... 1907- Wooster, Ohio
b. Ruth Liggett (Paul) ..... 1908- Wooster, Ohio
c. Ethel Frost (Robert G.) ..... 1909- Applecreek, Ohio
3. Zora Snell (Ralph) ..... 1886- Lodi, Ohio
a. Evelyn Ruder (Martin) ..... 1912- Chippewa Lake, Ohio
b. Mildred Snell* ..... 1914-1934 Lodi, Ohio
c. Walter Snell* ..... 1916-1941 Huron, Ohio
d. Dora Snell ..... 1918- Lodi, Ohio
e. Mary Snell ..... 1922- Lodi, Ohio
f. John Snell ..... 1925- Lodi, Ohio
g. Edgar Snell ..... 1927- Lodi, Ohio
4. Lora Wingert (Rufus) ..... 1888- Nankin, Ohio
a. Lucille Wingert ..... 1912- Cincinnati, Ohio
b. Frances Smith (Richard) .... 1914- Cincinnati, Ohio
c. Rebecca Carney (James) .... 1917- Miami, Fla.
d. William Wingert ..... 1920- Nankin, Ohio
e. Roger Wingert ..... 1923- Nankin, Ohio

F. David Fetzer* ..... 1857-1862 Creston, Ohio

G. Caroline Wright* (Almon*) ..... 1859-1922 Leroy, Ohio
1. Dora Rennecker (Charles) ..... 1883- Seville, Ohio

VII. Mary Magdalena Oller* (Daniel*) .. 1819-1899 Spencer, Ohio

A. Sarah Billman* (Nathan*) ..... 1842-1928 Homerville, Ohio
1. Abner Billman* ..... 1867-1897 Homerville, Ohio
2. Lyman Billman ..... 1869- Homerville, Ohio
3. Grace Billman* ..... 1874-1875 Homerville, Ohio
4. Lodemia Leet (Webster) ..... 1877- Homerville, Ohio

B. Zachrias Oller* ..... 1844-1934 Lodi, Ohio
1. Laverne Betz (John*) ..... 1876- Medina, Ohio
2. Clement D. Oller ..... 1888- Lodi, Ohio

C. Caroline Simons* (John*) ..... 1848-1932 Spencer, Ohio
1. Lottie Lechleitner (Albert) ..... 1871- Spencer, Ohio
2. Luella Simons ..... 1878- Spencer, Ohio

VIII. Frederick Fetzer*	1821-1882	Golden Corners, Ohio
A. Jonathan Fetzer*	1846-1930	Overton, Ohio
1. Charles Fetzer*	1869-1939	Wooster, Ohio
a. Effie Bell (Ross)	1898-	Wooster, Ohio
b. Florence Fry (Wyman)	1901-	Willoughby, Ohio
c. James R. Fetzer	1905-	Wooster, Ohio
d. Jennie Matheny (James)	1907-	Wooster, Ohio
2. Blanche Grill (Jerry*)	1871-	Wooster, Ohio
3. Ellen Bucher (Andrew*)	1872-	Wooster, Ohio
4. Riley Fetzer	1875-	Orrville, Ohio
5. James C. Fetzer	1877-	Wooster, Ohio
a. Lewis Fetzer*	1912-1920	Wooster, Ohio
b. Ruth Fetzer	1914-	Wooster, Ohio
c. Jean Fetzer	1923-	Wooster, Ohio
6. Mary Fetzer	1879-	Wooster, Ohio
7. Martha Fetzer	1881-	Wooster, Ohio
8. Chloe Fetzer	1883-	Wooster, Ohio
9. Grover Fetzer*	1885-1888	Wooster, Ohio
10. Clarabelle Armstrong (Lewis)	1888-	Wooster, Ohio
B. Sophia Zuver* (Alverada*)	1848-1915	Wooster, Ohio
1. Jennie Zuver	1876-	Wheeling, W. Va.
2. Minnie Ewing (Ellis)	1878-	Wheeling, W. Va.
C. Elizabeth Long* (Samuel*)	1850-1934	Miamesburg, Ohio
1. William Long*	1875-1875	Miamesburg, Ohio
2. Frederick Long	1876-	Miamesburg, Ohio
3. Jennie Janney (Alfred)	1880-	Chicago, Ill.
4. Lucy Maue (John)	1883-	Miamesburg, Ohio
5. Marion Long*	1887-1912	Miamesburg, Ohio
D. Sarah Wiles* (Adelbert*)	1852-1924	Medina, Ohio
1. Ray Wiles	1887-	Medina, Ohio
2. Ada Wiles*	1889-1890	Medina, Ohio
3. Clayton Wiles	1894-	Medina, Ohio
4. Louis Wiles	1897-	Hartford City, Ind.
E. Henry Fetzer*	1854-1922	Chattanooga, Tenn.
1. Lissa Gang (John)	1895-	Chattanooga, Tenn.
a. Henry Gang	1922-	Chattanooga, Tenn.
F. Ellen Talley* (Rezin)	1857-1940	Wooster, Ohio
G. Calvin Fetzer*	1862-1866	Golden Corners, Ohio
H. Jennie Garver (Charles)	1871-	Akron, Ohio
1. Dewey Garver	1898-	Hartford City, Ind.
2. Earl Garver	1899-	Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio
3. Lester Garver	1902-	Stow, Ohio
4. Irene Glass (William)	1904-	St. Paul, Minn.
5. Ira Garver	1908-	Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio
6. Isabelle Richardson (Newman)	1913-	Piedmont, Mo.
IX. Elizabeth Summers* (Demas*)	1823-1909	Golden Corners, Ohio
A. James Summers*	1843-1854	Golden Corners, Ohio
B. Henry Summers*	1845-1854	Golden Corners, Ohio
C. Rachel Summers*	1848-1849	Golden Corners, Ohio
D. Emeline Summers*	1850-1850	Golden Corners, Ohio
E. Maria Summers*	1853-1854	Golden Corners, Ohio
F. Barbara Summers*	1853-1854	Golden Corners, Ohio

G. Florence Smith* (Frank*)	1855-1934	Cleveland, Ohio
H. DeForest Summers*	1858-1938	Los Angeles, Cal.
I. Stephen Summers*	1861-1865	Golden Corners, Ohio
J. Anna L. Anderson (Darr W.)	1866-	Latrobe, Pa.
1. Fred Anderson	1896-	Latrobe, Pa.
2. Charles Anderson	1905-	Mars, Pa.
X. Valentine Fetzer, Jr.*	1827-1905	Golden Corners, Ohio
A. Perry Fetzer*	1852-1855	Golden Corners, Ohio
B. Daniel Fetzer*	1854-1902	Medina, Ohio
1. Florence Pylant* (Robert)	1884-1937	Arlington, Va.
a. Richard Pylant	1906-	Arlington, Va.
C. Margaret Snell* (George*)	1856-1898	Canaan, Ohio
1. Nora Coffman* (Mernie)	1885-1908	Wadsworth, Ohio
2. Mary Miller (James)	1890-	Nankin, Ohio
D. Albert Fetzer	1866-	Wooster, Ohio
E. Laura Sondels (Clifford*)	1869-	Golden Corners, Ohio
F. Jacob Fetzer	1874-	Golden Corners, Ohio
XI. Margaret Rebman* (Jacob*)	1829-1901	Spencer, Ohio
A. Reuben Rebman*	1853-1923	Burbank, Ohio
1. Frank Rebman	1877-	Burbank, Ohio
B. Francis Rebman*	1857-1937	Spencer, Ohio
1. Jennie Billman (Horace)	1885-	Spencer, Ohio
C. Emma Rice* (Daniel*)	1859-1923	Spencer, Ohio
1. Allen Rice*	1881-1936	Union City, Ind.
2. Arthur Rice	1886-	Spencer, Ohio
D. Adelia Rebman*	1861-1862	Spencer, Ohio
E. Ella Billman* (Sylvester*)	1867-1900	Spencer, Ohio
1. Clayton Billman	1887-	Spencer, Ohio
XII. Peter Fetzer*	1832-1904	Jackson, Ohio
A. Flora Pontius (Frank)	1858-	Ashland, Ohio
1. Lawrence Pontius	1883-	Columbiana City, Ind.
2. Elgie Tingley (Royal)	1887-	Daytona Beach, Fla.
3. Ethel Haney (John)	1896-	Ashland, Ohio
B. Perry Fetzer*	1859-1933	Canaan, Ohio
1. Maud Wilson (Irvin)	1888-	Wooster, Ohio
a. Mable Crow (Carl)	1909-	Wooster, Ohio
b. Miriam Robison (Bedford)	1913-	Wooster, Ohio
c. Donald Wilson	1919-	Wooster, Ohio
d. Richard Wilson	1922-	Wooster, Ohio
e. James Wilson	1927-	Wooster, Ohio
f. Patricia Wilson	1930-	Wooster, Ohio
2. Flossie Caskey (George)	1889-	Huron, Cal.
a. Harry Caskey	1912-	Huron, Cal.
b. Blaine Caskey	1918-	Huron, Cal.
3. Dale Fetzer	1893-	Creston, Ohio
a. Eileen Schaaf (Walter)	1922-	Wooster, Ohio
b. June Fetzer	1924-	Creston, Ohio
c. Leo Fetzer	1932-	Creston, Ohio

C. Amanda Slater* (Joseph*)	1861-1936	Orrville, Ohio
1. Elmer Slater	1882-	Columbus, Ohio
2. Emmett Slater*	1883-1933	Akron, Ohio
3. Charles Slater	1885-	Cleveland, Ohio
D. Levi Fetzer	1863-	Doylestown, Ohio
1. Edwin Fetzer*	1896-1896	
2. Lemuel Fetzer*	1898-1898	
3. Herman Fetzer*	1899-1935	Cleveland, Ohio
4. Frieda Myers (Ralph)	1901-	Doylestown, Ohio
a. Robert Myers	1923-	Doylestown, Ohio
b. Theodore Myers	1930-	Doylestown, Ohio
c. David Myers	1932-	Doylestown, Ohio
d. Judy Myers	1935-	Doylestown, Ohio
E. Emma Sell* (Charles)	1865-1923	Jackson, Ohio
1. Edna Sell*	1885-1886	Jackson, Ohio
2. Luella Tschantz* (Otto)	1887-1940	Copley, Ohio
3. Sadie Sell*	1889-1910	Jackson, Ohio
4. Ida Dallinga (Charles)	1891-	Akron, Ohio
5. Dessia Blough (Edward)	1893-	Creston, Ohio
6. Helen Sell	1905-	Creston, Ohio
F. Ida Geyer* (Henry*)	1867-1936	Creston, Ohio
1. Ray Geyer	1896-	Wadsworth, Ohio
2. Esther Rohn (Marvin)	1903-	Wadsworth, Ohio
G. Alvah Fetzer	1869-	Wooster, Ohio
1. Elton Fetzer	1907-	Canaan, Ohio
a. Barbara Fetzer	1933-	Canaan, Ohio
b. James Fetzer	1934-	Canaan, Ohio
c. Eugene Fetzer	1937-	Canaan, Ohio
d. Richard Fetzer	1939-	Canaan, Ohio
2. Forest Fetzer	1911-	Wooster, Ohio
a. Janet Fetzer	1937-	Wooster, Ohio
H. Della Knepp* (Henry*)	1871-1938	Wooster, Ohio
1. Beulah Wideman (Sylvan)	1892-	Jackson, Ohio
2. Ruth Stepfield (Eugene)	1894-	Doylestown, Ohio
I. Calvin Fetzer	1873-	Monmouth, Ore.
1. Priscilla Hermann (George L.)	1900-	Miami, Fla.
2. George Fetzer	1902-	Portland, Ore.
a. Paul S. Fetzer	1923-	Portland, Ore.
J. Edward Fetzer	1875-	Creston, Ohio
K. Merta Mougy* (Forest)	1878-1935	Sterling, Ohio
1. Jay Mougy*	1902-1916	Sterling, Ohio
2. Mary C. Werner (Howard)	1912-	Akron, Ohio

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